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Nevada Medicaid Reimburses for Laboratory Lead Testing and Screenings

Providers are reminded that laboratory lead testing is a covered benefit for Nevada Medicaid recipients. Medically necessary treatment required for lead exposure may be covered (excluding case management). Lead screenings may be included in a Healthy Kids (Early and Periodic Screening, Diagnostic and Treatment - EPSDT) visit following the Bright Futures periodicity recommendations.

- Please see the following link for the Bright Futures Periodicity schedule:
https://www.aap.org/en-us/Documents/periodicity_schedule.pdf
- For Laboratory covered services for lead testing, please reference Medicaid Services Manual (MSM) Chapter 800 at the following link:
<http://dhcfp.nv.gov/Resources/AdminSupport/Manuals/MSM/C800/Chapter800/>
- For Healthy Kids coverage and limitations, please see MSM Chapter 1500 at the following link:
<http://dhcfp.nv.gov/Resources/AdminSupport/Manuals/MSM/C1500/Chapter1500/>

This information impacts the following provider types:

Provider Type	Description
17	Special Clinics
20	Physician, M.D., Osteopath, D.O.
24	Advanced Practice Registered Nurses
43	Laboratory, Pathology Clinical
77	Physician's Assistant